Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace paragraph [0023] with the following amended paragraph:

[0023] Still referring to FIG. 2, the sleeve 40 may be formed as an integral, single-piece, injection-moulded structure. For example, the sleeve 40 may be formed of a plastic material that may be injection-moulded in the desired shape. As shown, the sleeve 40 is adapted to be vertically oriented in use and has an upper end 42 and a lower end 43. The lower end 43 of the sleeve 40 has an opening 44 suitably sized to receive the generally vertically oriented second arm 30b of the armrest support 30. The upper end 42 of the sleeve 40 is suitably shaped to receive an armrest pad 50 (FIG. [[3]] 1). Mounting holes 41a and 41b are provided at the upper end 42 of the sleeve 40 to mount the armrest pad 50 (using mounting screws, not shown).

Please replace paragraph [0028] with the following amended paragraph:

[0028] Referring now to FIG. 2A, and still referring to FIG. 2, depending from the first wall 48 of the sleeve 40 are first and second locking arms 57a and 57b having pivot seats 53a and 53b formed therein. As shown in FIG. 2, these locking arms 57a and 57b are suitably positioned to receive the pivot pins 62a, and 62b of leverage body 60. As shown in FIG. 2A, the pivot seats 53a and 53b formed on the locking arms 53a and 53b 57a and 57b open towards the first wall 48.

Please replace paragraph [0029] with the following amended paragraph:

[0029] In the exemplary embodiment, the sleeve 40 is formed as an integral, single-piece, injection-moulded structure. The pivot seats 53a and 53b are formed into the inner sides of vertically oriented locking arms 57a, 57b, which are themselves integrally formed with the sleeve 40 by injection-moulding. As will be appreciated by those skilled in the art, the pivot seats 53a, 53b may be formed by the use of auxiliary mould inserts (not shown) inserted into an injection-moulding cavity for forming sleeve 40. For example, an extractable pair of moulding

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pins may be inserted into the injection-moulding cavity for forming sleeve 40 at an angle offset from the main axis of separation of the injection mould for forming sleeve 40. In an embodiment, access holes — only one of which, hole 53a² and 53b², is shown — may be formed in the first wall 48 of the sleeve 40 as a result of the pair of moulding pins being inserted into the injection-moulding cavity while forming sleeve 40.